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## House Resolution No. 1769

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives always welcome the opportunity to acknowledge notable events in Show-Me State communities and neighborhoods which promote an improved quality of life for others; and

Whereas, Kansas City Cares will observe its Tenth Anniversary of community service to the Kansas City area with a special celebration on April 27, 2004, at The Levee Annex on 43rd Street between Main and Broadway in Kansas City, Missouri; and

Whereas, Kansas City Cares was founded in 1994 by an enthusiastic group of young professionals who wanted to help their community after learning about the "CityCares" concept which was a success in thirty cities nationwide; and

**Whereas**, with more than 1,400 members who have provided volunteer assistance to over 100 social service organizations throughout the Kansas City metropolitan area, Kansas City Cares volunteers have contributed more than 35,000 hours of service to the community; and

Whereas, Kansas City Cares has an eight-member volunteer board of directors and more than forty volunteer project coordinators who schedule and oversee all volunteer activities; and

Whereas, Kansas City Cares provides local non-profit organizations a new source of hard-working, motivated volunteers, while giving members flexible, meaningful volunteer opportunities that fit easily into their schedules and the chance to meet other caring people while contributing to their community:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously to salute the members of Kansas City Cares and to convey to all those involved this legislative body's heartiest congratulations and best wishes for continued success; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Kansas City Cares.

Offered by	
Representative Trent Skaggs	
District No. 31	
I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of	
Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Seco	nd
Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and	• 1
correct copy of House Resolution No. 1769, adopted Apr	<b>11</b>
15, 2004.	
Catherine L. Hanaway Speaker	